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## Letter from Mabel Hubbard Bell to Alexander Graham Bell, 1877, with transcript

Letter from Miss Mabel Hubbard to Mr. Alexander Graham Bell. March 1877. My darling Alec:

I cannot wait until Friday evening to tell you how glad and pleased I am for the recognition that has come to you in your election to the Academy of Arts and Sciences. It is so nice because it shows that the Scientific gentlemen understand and appreciate your work and because I hope this will give you the opportunity to publish your discoveries when ever you want to and will bring you into closer communication with the best minds of Boston.

Cousin Sam came into Cousin May's room early this morning to tell me, he is so kind and nice.

I wish I could tell you more but it is post time. I want very much to speak to you about the "Memorandum" there are two or three places where the wording is so vague. I should be afraid of misunderstanding arising from the reading of them.

In haste, Ever your, May.